

Urge Further Extension Steam Coal Market

Alberta and B.C. Operators Re-
quest Subvention as Far as
Ignace, Ontario

A despatch from Ottawa to the Lethbridge Herald stated: Still further extension eastward of the steam coal market enjoyed by Alberta and B.C. operators was contained in requests laid before Hon. Wesley Gordon, minister of mines. Alberta operators thanked the government for its assistance which had enabled them to gain additional markets in Manitoba, and asked that a similar subvention of \$1 a ton or so be granted for the western Ontario area as far as Ignace on the main line. It granted, this would give Alberta and Eastern B.C. material assistance in keeping their miners busy, it was urged.

The delegation were promised every consideration and were told that the government was in sympathy with efforts to give the Canadian fuel market to Canadians. They were, however, reminded that the two railway systems operated their own mines in the United States and there was little to the area in which they could expect to compete.

O. E. S. Whiteside, G. Kellock and G. A. Vissac returned this morning from Ottawa. On the way down they experienced 22 below zero weather at Winnipeg and 20 below at Ottawa.

School Board Meeting

The first meeting of the new board was held on Monday, when James M. Allan was appointed chairman for the ensuing year. H. Snowdon and F. Barrington were appointed as property committee; S. Moores and W. Antrobus, management committee; Jas. Ford, secretary-treasurer and assessor.

Mrs. Borden and Mrs. J. A. McLeod were visitors in Lethbridge on Thursday.

Hillcrest Miner Buried by Fall of Rock, Coal

Arthur Cross, a miner of Hillcrest, was buried Tuesday night at 6 o'clock by a fall of coal and rock, being given up as dead on Wednesday morning. Although strenuous efforts had been made to reach the pit worker, he had not been brought out at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning. The accident happened in the Byron Creek mine of the Hillcrest Collieries. Cross, who came from Wales, has a wife and young child living here.

United Church Notes

Sunday, Feb. 22, a baptismal service for adults and young children will be held. It is the hope of that a spiritual benefit will come to the congregation in this service of dedication, when in two instances both mother and child are to be baptized. Those desiring baptism of their children are asked to be present ten minutes before the service begins, or send in names before Sunday. Service at 11 a.m.

All fathers are invited to the Father and Son service at 7 p.m. There will be a message for all vital to the young people's welfare. Subject—"What is the worth of a boy to the community?"

The annual Father and Son banquet will be held on Monday. Boys of the Sunday school, Explorer, Trail Rangers or Tuxis groups are invited, with their dads. A fine program is being arranged. Fathers, make a special effort to be present. A boy was heard to say he would not come if his dad did not do so.

The Y.P.L. will meet on Tuesday at 8 p.m. instead of Monday.

Crows Nest Pass musical festival to be held at Blairmore, April 6, 7 and 8, is appealing for subscriptions. The financial reserve was drawn on to meet 1930 expenditures, and a special effort will be required to make 1931 pay its way. G. Pattinson is Coleman's member on the finance committee.

Imagination Runs Riot



When he launched the 42,600 ton Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Britain, H.R.H., the Prince of Wales, referring to the Knickerbocker Bar—as the cocktail bar of that magnificent new ship is to be known—said that its frequenters "can let their imagination run riot in a rowy haze amid the fantastic humour of Mr. Heath Robinson."

The Prince referred to the announcement that Britain's foremost humorous artist has been given a free hand to decorate that room on the new liner which is to make its bow to Canada June 22nd next. Developing a humorous legend of the cocktail of his own invention, W. Heath Robinson, who is shown above at work on some of the panels, has prepared a decorative scheme that extolls the virtues of the cocktail and depicts ingenious machinery employed in its manufacture.

Heath Robinson's ideas of the latest labour-saving machinery in connection with the selection and preparation of cherries for cocktail embellishment are shown together with the Poolproof Safety Aeroplane, a direct descendant of the mythical cocktail bird. This ceiling decoration depicts the uplifting powers of an appetizer. These, and other drawings will appear on the walls and ceiling of the room.

Coleman Tuxis Defeat Blairmore

Coleman and Blairmore Tuxis played in Coleman rink on Friday night, Coleman winning by 6-1. The game was quite interesting and a few minutes after the face off Clark scored for Coleman. Two more goals were scored; making 3-0 in Coleman's favor for the first period.

Fast hockey was seen in the second period, Coleman nothing two more, Blairmore failing to score. They worked hard in the third period, when Tyberg scored the only goal for Blairmore. Coleman room scored another, and made the score 6-1.

Goals scored by Coleman were Clark 3, Andros 2, Quansay 1. The line up: Blairmore—Walker; T. Morgan, F. Morgan; Scott, Williams; Perry, Tyberg, Emery, McQuinn. Coleman—DeCecco; Quansay, Clark; Celli, Andros, Paradell, Driver, Dunlop, Salvador, Fleming. Referee, Tony Vejpreva.

L.O.B.A. Bazaar

Will be held on Saturday, March 7, in the K. of P. hall, from 3 to 6 p.m. Fancy work, plain sewing, etc. will be on sale.

Mrs. E. W. DeLong of Calgary is staying at the Grand Union with her husband, Dr. DeLong, who is assisting Dr. R. L. Borden.

Several gentlemen were noticed yesterday morning at (for them) an unusually early hour. First thought was that they may have been attending early service on the first day of Lent. However, it was a proposed curling competition at Blairmore that caused the early rising, and which was postponed because of the mild weather.

Geologist Receives Award

Dr. B. R. MacKay of Geological Survey of Canada, has been awarded the Harlow Memorial Prize for 1930 for his paper entitled "Stratigraphy and Structure of the Bituminous coal fields in the vicinity of Jasper Park."

It is an annual prize of \$50 in gold for the best paper presented to the Institute during the year on economic or applied geology. The award is in memory of Dr. Alfred B. Barlow, a noted Canadian geologist who was drowned when the Empress of Ireland was sunk in 1914. The prize will be presented to Dr. MacKay at the annual convention of the Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy to be held in Ottawa on March 4, 5 and 6.

Last summer Dr. MacKay and staff worked in the vicinity of Corbin on geological survey work.

Livingstone Lodge, Blairmore, was visited on Feb. 13 by A. E. Hartley, grand chancellor, of Medicine Hat. O. N. Warriner, grand master of exchequer, Hillcrest, and J. T. Griffiths, grand outer guard, of Coleman. A number of members were initiated into the rank of page, and speeches were made during the evening by A. E. Hartley, G.C.; O. N. Warriner, G.M.C.; and J. T. Griffiths, G.O.G. Refreshments and a social evening followed the business part of the meeting.

Blairmore defeated the C.P.R. team from Winnipeg by a score of 3-2 on Monday evening. A large number from Coleman helped to swell the attendance, besides many fans from other Pass towns. The Blairmore committee appreciate their support as it helped to build up the receipts very considerably. The combined attendance from other towns was larger than that of Blairmore itself.

St. Alban's Church Makes Lenten Appeal

Special Request to All Parish-
ners to Contribute to Church
Support During Lent

The rector and vestry of St. Alban's church ask all members who are not at present contributing to make a special effort each week during Lent to give something towards the maintenance of the church. With the comparative few carrying the load, it is difficult to keep up the payment of current expenses and Diocesan payments, therefore this appeal is made to all Anglicans to support their church, especially during the season of self-denial, which terminates at Easter. Hours of Lenten services are given elsewhere in this issue.

ST. ALBAN'S CHURCH

Next Sunday is the first in Lent. The services will be: 11 a.m. morning prayer and address; 2 p.m. Sunday school; 3 p.m. adult Bible class.

Each Wednesday during Lent there will be holy communion at 10 a.m.; children's service at 4:15 p.m. and Lenten meditation at 8 p.m.

Printing firms in Winnipeg report an output from 80 establishments valued at eight million dollars.

Coleman School District No. 1216

Public Notice

There will be sold by Public Auction on the 25th day of February, at the hour of 11 o'clock a.m., at the Town Hall, Coleman, one Shoe Finishing Machine, the property of Charles Proffo, for taxes due the Coleman School District No. 1216, and costs.

Dated at Coleman this 18th day of February, 1937.

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Princess Soap Flakes, 2 pkgs. for	.45
Soap Chips, White Wonder, Bulk, 3 lbs for	.40
Royal Crown Cleanser, 3 tins for	.30
Syrup, Rogers Golden, 5 lb tin for	.50
Spinach, Delmonte, 2's, 2 tins for	.45
Peas, Royal City, Choice, 6 tins for	.95
Beans, Royal City, Wax or Green, 2 tins for	.45
Lux Soap Flakes, 3 pkgs for	.30
Sunlight Soap, per package	.20
Royal Crown Soap, 21 cakes for	\$1.00
Shredded Wheat, 3 packages for	.40
Corn Flakes, Kellogg's, 3 for	.35
Lobster, Eagle Brand, the Best, 4's, 2 tins for	.45
Plums, Delicious for Desert, 24's, 2 tins for	.45
Peaches, Pears, Apricots, Delmonte, 1 tin of each	.85
Orange Marmalade, Fancy Quality, glass jar	.45
Dill Pickles, Royal City, Choice, per tin	.30

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Clark's Pork and Beans in Tomato Sauce, 2's, 2 tins	25c
Coffee, bulk, whole or ground, 3 lbs for	\$1.00
McOlean's English Breakfast Tea in 1 lb pkt.	55c
Malkin's Best Pure Plum Jam, 4 lb tin	50c
Red Arrow Dollar Sodas, per case	50c
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Governments And The People

In times like the present governments as well as individuals are hard pressed to make ends meet and to secure the necessary revenues to carry on the public services. In some respects the problems which confront governments at such a time are even more difficult than those which face the individual. This, however, is something few people are prepared to admit. Inasmuch as government business is merely the business of all individual citizens, instead of one or two only, it is well that people generally should understand and so appreciate some of the difficulties which confront them in their collective capacity, federally and provincially, at the present time.

The old fallacy still seems to stick in the minds of many people that governments can always find money; that if more is needed at any time, or in any emergency, it can easily be obtained; that there is, indeed, no bottom to the public purse, no limit to a government's borrowing powers. And this misconception on the part of so many people lies at the root of many of our taxation problems.

When "hard times" come upon us, crops fail, business slackens, unemployment ensues, prices fall below costs of production, products cannot be sold at any price, people turn to governments to help them out—that is, if they would only realize it, they turn to themselves. But they seem to forget, or conveniently ignore the fact that their own loss of earning, consuming, and tax paying power immediately reacts upon their governments, depriving them of the revenues so essential to meet the increased demands the people would place upon them.

Government revenues drop because, through unemployment or inability to sell products at a profit, people are unable to pay taxes, and because, if necessary, they must consume less and make fewer purchases other sources of government income are dried up or greatly reduced. But it is at just such times when governments are least able to spend money,—because they have not got it,—people demand that they spend more money than before and thus provide work; they demand direct cash grants in relief to tide them over the hard times; in a word, they insist that governments shall help them out, ignoring the fact that collectively they are in the same position as they are individually,—therefore, governments are in like difficulty to themselves.

Governments, of course, can borrow money,—up to a certain limit. But every dollar borrowed mortgages the future. It must be repaid some time, or in the alternative, interest must be paid for all time to come. Once interest payments are not made the source of future borrowings dries up. And every dollar required to pay interest, is a dollar less available for current government requirements.

Examine the present situation. Revenues of Provincial governments throughout Canada are falling. They have less money to spend, and greater demands made upon them than ever before. From the Atlantic to the Pacific every Provincial Treasurer has the same story to tell, large deficits upon the year's operations. They must secure larger revenues or enormously decrease expenditures. Such revenues can only be obtained by increased taxation at a time when people cannot pay present taxes; decreased expenditures, except in some minor details, are impossible because the people insist on larger public expenditures, to offset the decline in private expenditures, and thus provide employment.

The Dominion Government is in exactly the same position, falling revenues, increased expenditures, large deficits. The Dominion is, therefore, looking for new sources of revenue to make ends meet, and at the same time the Provinces are cutting down on the Dominion to relinquish to them certain of its present sources of revenue, asking the Dominion to pay them larger cash subsidies; asking them to take over certain services and responsibilities hitherto borne by the Provinces.

It is becoming increasingly necessary that "All" people should realize that whether a service is provided by the Dominion Government or by their Provincial Government; whether the taxes are levied and collected by the Dominion, or the Province, or the municipality; whether the money is borrowed by one government or another, they are the people who are paying. They must pay now or later. The more they borrow now, the more they have mortgaged their future, the more they will have to pay later, the heavier the handicap they have placed on a quick and permanent return to better times.

Bearing this fundamental, inescapable truth in mind, people will be well advised not to rely too greatly upon governments in times of stress, but rather to go the limit in endeavoring to meet their individual problems as individuals. It will be better for them, individually and collectively, in the long run.

Fed Army From Air

British Tested Plan Of Dropping Rations By Parachute

The British army recently carried out a very successful test of feeding an army from the air. A column of 1,000 started out on a 150-mile march and all their rations were carried by air. Two stops for rations were made on route and each day 56 parachute loads were dropped, each weighing 120 pounds. Fourteen "Wapiti" planes dropped four loads a day on a spot of ground marked out in advance. On the first day 48 of the 56 loads were dropped in the marked circle. The second day all the loads were dropped as directed.

English railways are reducing sleeping-car rates.

Bank Better Than Either

But If You Store Money In Sock Woolen Is Safer Than Cotton

It has been proved that a woolen sock is better than a cotton sock as a place to keep your spare cash. Over in New York State two brothers kept their cash: one used a cotton sock and the other a woolen. There was a fire, both socks burned, and damaged money experts of the Treasury at Washington identified \$330 out of \$340 which the wool sock contained. The other was too far gone for identification. The bank, of course, is much better than any kind of sock.

The revenue cutter service of the U.S. Coastguard was organized in 1790.

Heart and Nerves So Bad

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Miss Theresa M. Ravary, Gillingtown, Ont., writes:—"I was troubled, for a year, with my heart and nerves, especially on retiring at night when I would be unable to sleep for hours. I was really fatigued, and became very excitable and irritable. A friend recommended Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills and after taking them for a few weeks I could enjoy a good night's rest, and rapidly regained my former state of health."

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Would Organize Commission

Suggests Farm Products Marketing Body To Assist Agricultural Credits Corporation

Organization of a farm products marketing commission as a corollary of the agricultural credits corporation recently proposed by E. W. Beatty, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, was advocated by John M. Imrie, of Edmonton, in addressing the Empire Club at Toronto.

The commission would be fact finding and advisory only, under Mr. Imrie's proposal. It would seek to co-ordinate production and marketing and to stimulate and support existing marketing services rather than to create any new service mechanism. It would endeavor to secure for Canada's own farmers the largest possible proportion of their own domestic market, thus displacing substantial imports of secondary farm products from other countries. Outside of Canada it would seek to expand present markets, to find new ones, and to study requirements of both.

The commission would co-operate wholeheartedly with the Dominion Department of Trade and Commerce, the Canadian Trade Commission service, related transportation and financial interests, and the various trade channels through which the actual selling would continue to be done as at present.

Mr. Imrie, who was chairman of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce trade mission to the Orient, addressed his audience on "New Markets Across the Pacific."

Lynchings In U.S.

Figures Of Lynchings For Year 1930 Are Not Encouraging

Optimistic observers who thought a few years ago that lynching was about to die out in the United States get a jolt in the 1930 figures on this American form of lawlessness. Twenty-five lynchings are recorded in the closing twelve months by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People in its annual summary of lynching. This compares with twelve in 1929, a jump of 100 per cent. This increase is bad enough, but when it is compared with the figures for twenty-five or thirty years ago, when lynchings ran as high as 235 in one year, it is still possible to credit ourselves with some progress along the road away from lawlessness.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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British Settlers For B.C.

Report States People With Wealth Are Interested

More wealthy British people came to British Columbia in the last year to settle, through the agency of the British Columbia House, London, England, than ever before. F. A. Pauline, retiring agent-general reports.

For the twelve months ending September 30 last, Mr. Pauline said, 308 people left Britain for the province with a view to immediate settlement or in order to make a personal inspection with a view to settling, and all these people had capital. Their total capital amounted to 866,610 pounds apart from annual incomes, totalling 42,438 pounds.

Children suffering from worms soon show the symptoms, and any mother can detect the presence of these parasites by the writhings and frettings of the child. Until expelled and the system cleared of them, the child cannot regain its health. Miller's Worm Powders are prompt and efficient, not only for the eradication of worms, but also as a tonic up for children that are run down in consequence.

Coming To Canada

Twelve head-mistresses of well-known English and Scottish schools are to sail for Canada on March 27 with the object of acquiring a personal knowledge of Canadian universities and of exploring the possibilities of girls finishing their education there. Mrs. Maery heads the party which will remain for five months.

A Historical Monument

The famous tunnel which proved such a strategic point for the Germans during the 1916 offensive, has been classed as an historical monument by the government. Since the war it has been called the Crown Prince Tunnel.

W. N. U. 1877

Chest Colds Yield to this Treatment

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Saving To Cattlemen

Freight Rate Reduced On Shipments From Ranches To Feed Farms

Railways have promised a 50 per cent. reduction in freight rates on cattle sent from ranches to feed farms, declared Hon. Robert Weir, Minister of Agriculture, in an interview at Winnipeg. The Minister said he had secured this promise from the railways. When feeding is finished the cattle will be shipped on the direct export rate from farms to the old country, he added.

By these means, tolls for commission and stockyard charges amounting to between \$17 and \$25 a carload will be saved. Mr. Weir said, the 50 per cent. reduction in the freight rates will effect a saving to cattleman of \$50 a carload.

The Minister of Agriculture said that attempts had been going on for some time to get the railways to agree to the layover on livestock extended from 24 hours to a maximum of six months for feeding purposes. There were many practical difficulties in the way, however, and it was felt that the best way to solve the problem was by reducing the freight rates.

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

FRUIT OMELET

6 egg yolks.
 2 tablespoons sugar.
 1/2 cup orange juice.
 6 egg whites.
 1 tablespoon butter.
 Orange marmalade.

Beat egg yolks, adding sugar and fruit juice. Fold in stiffly beaten egg whites. Heat butter in omelet pan, pour in omelet mixture and cook slowly until fluffy, firm and a golden brown on bottom. Spread one-half thickly with marmalade, fold and serve.

MOLCHA COOKIES

1 cup shortening.
 1 cup sugar.
 1 cup molasses.
 1 cup coffee.
 1/2 cup flour.
 2 eggs.
 2 teaspoons soda.
 1 teaspoon cinnamon.
 1 1/2 teaspoons ginger.
 1 teaspoon ground cloves.
 1 teaspoon salt.

Cream shortening and sugar. Add well-beaten eggs, and coffee mixed with soda and molasses. Sift all spices with flour and add to mixture, making a soft dough. Drop on cookie pan, a tablespoon for each cookie.

No Rest With Asthma. Asthma usually attacks at night, the one time when rest is needed most. Hence the loss of strength, the nervous debility, the loss of flesh and other evils which must be expected unless relief is secured. Fortunately relief is possible. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy has proved its merits through years of service. A trial will surely convince you.

Famous Old Inn

Historic Tam O'Shanter Inn at Ayer, Scotland, associated with Burns' immortal poem, is for sale. The Inn is one of the oldest licensed drinking places in Ayer, and is conspicuous in High Street for its thatched roof and a picture above the doorway representing Tam O'Shanter setting out on his famous ride which ended in an encounter with the "Witches at Alloway's" "Auld Haggis Kirk". The city of Ayer may acquire the Inn as a public attraction.

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 1912—Henry Holmes, Alberta.
 1913—Paul Gerlach, Saskatchewan.
 1914—Seager Wheeler, Saskatchewan.
 1915—Seager Wheeler, Saskatchewan.
 1916—Seager Wheeler, Saskatchewan.
 1917—Sam Larcombe, Manitoba.
 1918—Seager Wheeler, Saskatchewan.
 1919—J. C. Mitchell, Saskatchewan.
 1920—J. C. Mitchell, Saskatchewan.
 1921—G. W. Kraft, Montana, U.S.A.
 1922—R. O. Wyler, Saskatchewan.
 1923—Major H. G. L. Strange, Alberta.
 1924—J. C. Mitchell, Saskatchewan.
 1925—L. P. Yates, Montana, U.S.A.
 1926—Herman Treile, Alberta.
 1927—Edison Smith, Montana, U.S.A.
 1928—C. Edson Smith, Montana, U.S.A.
 1929—Joseph H. B. Smith, Alberta.
 1930—Herman Treile, Alberta.

The Brandon Sun supplies the following interesting information regarding the successive champions: The first Canadian mentioned still farms at Rosthern, Sask. An interesting feature of the record is that all the Canadian champions were born outside of Canada except Wyler; six of the eight other champions were born in England, while the remaining two were born in the United States (Treile) and in Germany.

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LIBERAL PLAN IS ACCEPTED BY LABOR PARTY

London, England.—Across the floor of the House of Commons the government accepted Liberal plans for the alleviation of unemployment. They are the proposals outlined in the official Liberal motion, proposed by Sir Herbert Samuel, a motion which was at first run round as being a motion of censure but later divided down to an invitation.

"This motion is not intended as censure, it is intended as an invitation," explained Sir Herbert, as with Mr. Lloyd George, his leader, seated at his immediate left, he moved the resolution.

"I accept the invitation," Mr. MacDonald replied, "in the same spirit in which it is given."

The motion calls upon the government to formulate schemes of national employment in regional and town-planning, housing and slum-clearance, extension of traffic facilities in the great cities, land settlement, afforestation, extension of docks and harbors improvement and the development of electricity and the telephone loan of which the interest and finding would be met out of economies in national expenditure, out of the road fund and from taxation of land values.

Discussion revealed a Liberal-Labor agreement also over the notation of the necessary road. Prime Minister MacDonald said he had been under the impression that the idea was to float a huge development loan before the scheme was worked out. To that the government was opposed. But the government, the prime minister said, would easily agree to the present proposal as the various schemes became ready, which implies the raising of the loans.

Sir Herbert Samuel asserted that Britain had spent \$2,650,000,000 on unemployment in the last 10 years, yet the country had not a mile of road or a single acre of woodland to show for it.

Prime Minister MacDonald did not agree the unemployment expenditure of the last decade had been without return. The country was not now passing through a normal period of unemployment, an industrial revolution was in progress. Emigration had dwindled almost to nothing.

If emigration had continued at the normal rate within the last three or four years, instead of dropping lamentably, the unemployment statistics would have been substantially reduced. Britain, through the unemployment crisis, had experienced less privation and less social disturbance than had other countries, and there was less public damage done.

Princes Cannot Attend Ship-Board Reception

Unable To Accept Invitation Of Canadian Trade Delegation

Montreal, Que.—The Prince of Wales and Prince George because their itinerary is complete, will be unable to attend a ship-board reception which was to have been given in their honor by the Canadian trade delegation to the British Empire Trade Fair in Buenos Aires, according to word received here by the Canadian Chamber of Commerce.

The invitation, which was suggested by J. H. Woods, president of the Chamber of Commerce, was wireless to the Princes aboard the steamer "Oropesa" on which they are traveling to South America. In reply the Prince of Wales stated that as they had only two days in Buenos Aires, after opening the fair on March 14, they could not accept the invitation.

Edison Celebrates Birthday

Port Myers, Fla.—Thomas A. Edison received the "happy birthday" greetings of the United States on Feb. 11. Celebrating his 84th anniversary at his winter home, he took time off from his rubber experiments to aid in a general observance of the event. Florida and the city of Port Myers paid the snowy haired genius homage by dedicating a new \$500,000 bridge in his honor.

Naval Truce Discussed

Paris, France.—Robert L. Craigie, of the British foreign office, is in Paris and has had several conferences with Rene Massigli, French disarmament expert, on subjects believed to deal with a possible Franco-Italian naval construction truce.

Torreon, Mexico, has been suffering from a drought for two years.

W. N. U. 1877

Wheat Exports About Doubled Deportations From Canada Discussed

The Cash Returns, However, Were \$1,500,000 Less

Ottawa, Ont.—Although Canada exported nearly twice as much wheat in January, 1931, than in the same month last year, the cash return was \$1,500,000 less. It was shown in a report issued recently by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. Total exports in January last were 9,608,852 bushels, with a cash return of \$5,430,682. In the same month in 1930, the exports were 4,994,054 and the return \$6,930,033.

Exports of wheat flour during January were lower than in the corresponding month last year and the cash return likewise was smaller. A total of 392,256 barrels of flour was shipped out of the country during the month, selling for \$1,558,498. In the same month last year, the exports were 502,888 barrels with a cash return of \$3,069,166.

CONSERVATIVES WIN IN ONTARIO BY-ELECTIONS

Toronto, Ont.—After the warmest by-election campaign in connection with the Ontario legislature for many years, electors of Grenville and Hamilton West returned Conservative government candidates by greatly reduced majorities.

James E. Sanderson of Oxford Mills was elected in Grenville, and Alderman Argue Martin in Hamilton West. Both constituencies have been represented in the legislature by Conservatives for about 25 years. The vacancy in Grenville was caused by the resignation of Hon. G. Howard Ferguson, now Canadian high commissioner. West Hamilton was open as the result of the death of Hon. Fred T. Smye.

Mr. Sanderson pulled up a majority of approximately 1,476 votes over his Liberal opponent, Percy Barnard. The vote was Sanderson, 4,761; Barnard, 3,285. In 1929, Mr. Ferguson carried the Grenville seat by a majority of slightly more than 2,000 votes.

Alderman Martin was victor by 384 votes over his Liberal opponent, Capt. Elmore Philpott. At the last general election in 1929, Hon. F. T. Smye, Conservative, was elected by a majority of 4,712 votes.

Hamilton, Ont.—Liberal forces in the West Hamilton by-election for the Ontario legislature were defeated after one of the bitterest fights in the history of the riding. Alderman Argue Martin, Conservative government candidate, was elected by a majority of 384 votes over his Liberal opponent, Captain Elmore Philpott.

The campaign in Hamilton attracted the attention of the entire province. Captain Philpott chose the administration of the attorney-general, Hon. W. H. Price, as the issue at stake and fought a slashing battle for election, backed by M. F. Hepburn, M.P., recently elected leader of the provincial Liberal party.

Jap Plans Atlantic Flight

Tokyo, Japan.—The vernacular newspaper "Hochi" announced that Seiji Yoshikawa, Japanese aviator, will make a leisurely trans-Pacific flight from Tokyo to San Francisco via the northern route in April.

Question Of Return Of English Born Citizens Before British House

London, England.—Question of the deportation of English-born citizens from Canada came up in the House of Commons, and Rt. Hon. J. H. Thomas, secretary of state for the Dominions, made it known that the government is considering the matter of making representations to the Dominion.

It was Major Leslie Horebellea, Liberal member for Devonport, who raised the question in the Commons, citing the recent deportation of 107 British subjects on board the steamship "Ascania." Mr. Horebellea asked that the secretary for the Dominions should represent to the Canadian government that "the deportation of persons who had not been guilty of crimes or any irregularity is hardly an indication of a spirit of Imperial unity."

Mr. Thomas replied that the enquiry in the "Ascania" case had shown that 96 of the deportees were public charges in Canada, nine had been convicted of various offenses, one was suffering from tuberculosis and the remaining case had not yet been settled. Five, he said, were Canadian-born children who, being of tender years, had accompanied their parents back to England.

Science Of Government

Believes Party System Is Sadly Out Of Tune With Present Times

Winnipeg, Man.—Parliamentary practice is falling behind an advancing world, believes J. W. Pratt, independent for Birtle in the Manitoba legislature. In the House, recently, he claimed no business or public utility would attempt to conduct its affairs as legislatures do. He labelled the party system undesirable and unnecessary, tending to decisions made otherwise than on their merits.

Among the improvements suggested by the Birtle member were a fixed term of office provided by statute; an official Hansard for the Manitoba legislature; extension of proportional representation to certain rural districts and a time limit on speeches. Experts, he thought, might explore the science of government and recommend improvements in the present antiquated system of doing business.

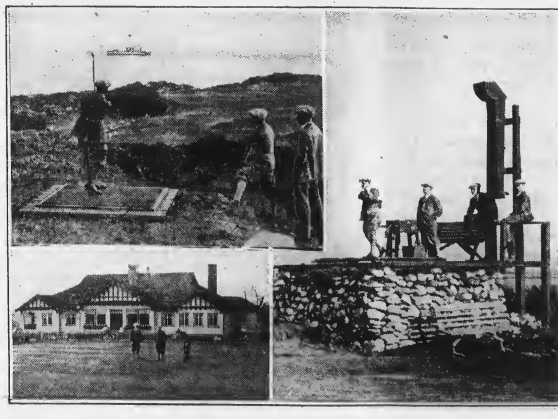
Sailing End Of March

Ottawa, Ont.—Tentative arrangements call for the sailing of the Earl of Bessborough, Canada's New Governor-General, from Liverpool on March 27, on board the "Duchess of Bedford." It is understood that the official ceremony of reception will take place in the legislature buildings at Halifax on the landing of the successor to Earl Willington on April 4 or 5.

Boy Bandit Arrested

Port Francis, Ont.—For 45 minutes 16-year-old Robert Kitowski possessed \$1,000, but now he is lodged in the town jail. Masked and alone the youngster stepped into the Dominion Bank here while most of the clerks were at noon-day lunch. Under the bandit's leveled revolver, the clerk handed out \$1,000 and the boy escaped, only to be arrested promptly on the outskirts of the town.

HAZARDOUS COURSE



Three views of the rocky Oak Bay Golf Course over which play for the E. W. Beatty Challenge Trophy in the third annual Empress Mid-winter Golf Tourney will take place February 23 to 28th. The top picture shows a golfer driving from the seventh tee, which faces the Straits of Juan de Fuca and from which a warm sea breeze is always blowing the unwary player's ball astray! Lower left, is the Oak Bay Clubhouse, competition headquarters and extreme right of course's oddity—the thirteenth tee, equipped with a periscope to enable players to see over a ridge to the next green.

EUROPE'S WEALTHIEST MAN



Sir Basil Zaharoff, Europe's wealthiest figure, who is seriously ill at Monte Carlo. He is 80 years of age.

Soviet Blamed For Woes

Thinks Russia Is In A Large Measure Responsible For Depression

Montreal.—Recalling the apprehension of Rt. Hon. Winston Churchill over the Russian developments in 1910, Sir James Dunn, Canadian-born banker of London, England, declared here that Soviet influence was in a large measure responsible for the recent world-wide depression. Sir James arrived here recently from New York en route to his native town, Bathurst, N.B.

Two developments would serve in a great measure to restore stability in Europe, Sir James said, these being the collapse of the Soviet government and a moratorium on war debts. Questioned as to whether he believed the world depression had reached its peak, Sir James replied, "What a lot of money we'd make if we knew!" Nevertheless, he said, many of the best informed men he had met recently had shown themselves to be "conservatively hopeful of a bettering of general business conditions before the year is over."

Convicts Recaptured

Dartmoor's Grim Record Of No Escapes Still Unbroken

Plymouth, England.—Dartmoor prison's grim record of not a single escape in its history still stands. John Gasken and John Mullins, two desperate men, who got away recently have been recaptured and sent back to their cells.

They had a long start, but little chance of winning their bid for freedom. The region in which the Dartmoor prison stands is one of the most forbidding in England, abounding in bottomless bogs. There is no potable water, and roads leading to the prison are always carefully guarded.

Any Johnson Returns

London, England.—Buffeted by high winds after crossing the English channel, Miss Amy Johnson set her tiny aeroplane down at North London airfield. The British aviatix was returning from Hanover, Germany, after abandoning at Warsaw the proposed London-Peiping flight she began recently. She may attempt the flight again in the spring.

Election Act Comes

Before Manitoba House

Government Bill Establishes Many Changes In Present Methods

Winnipeg, Man.—Terms of the new Manitoba Election Act, under which the government plans to hold the next election, were made known when the bill came before the legislature for second reading. New provisions call for permanent returning officers, different registration system, stricter observance of candidate qualifications, and involve provision of new voters' lists.

Based largely on Dominion and Alberta election acts, the new act is aimed at elimination of difficulties facing electors in listing their names, explained Hon. W. J. Major, attorney-general. If names were not on the list at the time of registration or revision, he said, provision was made for putting them on the list at election day; no votes should be lost.

Nomination day is to be 20 to 30 days from the date of issuance of writs. It was explained, and polling day the tenth day after nomination. Personal registration will be eliminated, and revision will be available by the returning officer, to be completed within two days. Not more than three deferred elections are permitted under the bill.

Rothwell Is Appointed Livestock Commissioner

Takes Over Position Formerly Held By H. S. Arkell

Ottawa, Ont.—George B. Rothwell has been appointed acting Dominion livestock commissioner, from which position H. S. Arkell recently resigned to join the Canadian Co-operative Livestock Association. Mr. Rothwell has been for some years in charge of animal husbandry at the Central Experimental Farm near Ottawa.

It is understood that Hon. Robert Weir, minister of agriculture, has under consideration a reorganization of the various branches of his department with somewhat changed alignments of duties and the appointment has been made temporary no doubt because a decision is pending as to whether such a reorganization be gone ahead with.

PARTY LEADERS WILL CONFER ON UNEMPLOYMENT

Edmonton, Alberta.—Party leaders in Alberta's legislature will confer shortly in the hope of reaching agreement upon the stand to be taken by the province in regard to unemployment and the allied matter of unemployment insurance, it was indicated recently.

The matter was raised in the legislature by presentation of a resolution, emanating from the labor ranks, endorsing the principle of unemployment insurance and calling for immediate action towards institution of some such scheme.

In the debate, which preceded tabling of the resolution, the Conservative leader, D. C. Dugan, expressed the opinion that unemployment insurance was primarily a federal responsibility.

Premier John E. Brownlee, taking part in debate for the first time since the session opened, indicated that his government shortly will introduce a measure which will spread the burden imposed by present unemployment conditions over a number of years. He suggested a conference of parties with regard to the situation.

Answering questions from W. R. Howson, Liberal, Edmonton, Premier Brownlee said he was hopeful that an unemployment conference will be called by the federal government, to be attended by representatives of the provincial governments, shortly.

Millions For Dole

Burden Carried By British Taxpayer Is Increasing

London, England.—The dole, it is officially estimated, will cost the British taxpayer between \$250,000,000 and \$257,000,000 "or even more" during the financial year opening April 1, next.

The figures are contained in a memorandum submitted by the British treasury to the royal commission on unemployment insurance. The memorandum draws attention pointedly to the gravity of the situation.

Contributions by the state dole fund will, by 1932, have been the cause of borrowing from the treasury to the tune of \$550,000,000.

FIRST SESSION IN ONTARIO UNDER HENRY REGIME

Toronto, Ont.—Premier George S. Henry today made his bow to the Legislature of Ontario and as prime minister officiated at the formal opening of the Assembly for the first time. Hon. W. D. Ross, lieutenant-governor, presided over the ceremony and read the speech from the Throne in which a forecast of the legislative program of the session was given.

Among the more important announcements in the speech are amendments to the Judicature Act to change the constitution of the Supreme Court of Ontario, improvements in methods of marketing farm products, compensation for blind workers, and consolidation and revision of all laws respecting hospitals.

In addition to being Mr. Henry's first opening as prime minister, the ceremony today set a tariff wall by the absence of former premier G. Howard Ferguson for the first time in 25 years.

The present session will go down in the chronicles of the province as the second session of the 18th Legislature. For practical purposes, however, it will be looked upon as the first session of the Henry regime, for in addition to a new premier, there are six new ministers in the cabinet since last session.

Advocates Free Port

Free Entry Of British Goods Through Hudson Bay Suggested As Cure For Troubles Of The West

Winnipeg, Man.—Best of all the suggested measures to lead Western Canada out of its economic difficulties was free entry of British goods through Churchill, Manitoba's Hudson Bay port, said A. J. M. Poole, government member for Beautiful Plains, in the legislature recently. Other relief measures would not effect a permanent cure for the west's ills, he declared.

Mr. Poole forecast strenuous opposition in Eastern Canada to plans for making Churchill a free port of entry. He thought, however, that since the east was so much in love with tariffs, they could erect a tariff wall east of the "Head of the Lakes" to keep out goods that would enter the west by way of Hudson Bay.

A farmer himself, the member for Beautiful Plains discussed the grain situation from the grower angle. With reference to diversified farming, which he said bankers, boards of trade and urban people suggested as a remedy, "without any appreciation of the difficulties involved," Mr. Poole thought it was worth trying. "But it is not the real solution," he added.

He urged that the Bennett government undertake construction of the Mafeking short-cut to the Hudson Bay Railway.

Wheat Surplus Still Heavy

But Poor Quality Of Foreign Supplies May Reduce Carry-Over

Washington, D.C.—Wheat surpluses available for export and carry-over in United States, Canada, Argentina and Australia—the four important non-European exporting countries—as at January 1 were estimated by the United States department of agriculture to have been more than 100,000,000 bushels in excess of those a year ago.

At the same time, United States wheat available for export and carry-over was placed at 231,000,000 bushels on January 1 as against 327,000,000 bushels a year ago.

Surpluses in the Danube Basin of Europe are somewhat larger than a year ago. In addition the probability was expressed that Russia still has wheat for export.

"However," the report said, "poor quality of some of the foreign supplies, together with the low returns obtainable for wheat may encourage domestic consumption beyond normal and correspondingly reduce their surplus."

Mine Disaster In China

Report Says Considerable Loss Of Life Was Feared

Peiping, China.—Chinese reports from Manchuria here, said that 3,000 miners were entombed in the Fushun mines by an underground explosion. A considerable loss of life was feared.

Rescue work was started immediately. Not only a few persons could be taken from the shaft. Relatives of the entombed men gathered at the pithead; in their grief making a pitiful scene.

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NOTES AND COMMENTS

It's the fighting heart that makes championship winners, states a magazine writer in answering the question—"What makes champions?" Instances have been known of men on the athletic field suffering agony and yet triumphing by heart and mind over physical suffering.

It conveys a lesson to men in business. It's the fighting heart that will win in the present crisis. Those enjoying a steady wage or salaried position, which is not affected by existing conditions, experience nothing out of the ordinary. It is the thousands of men in small businesses who are fighting with their backs to the wall to try and tide over the present depression, and quite often do not take in a dollar a day in sales, who require the fighting heart to carry on. And those who possess it will win out.

Premier Bennett appears to be as much in the air as Joe Matheson, defeated Conservative candidate for Macleod riding, who on being asked in Coleman during the campaign last July what his policy was, replied—"A Canadian Fuel Policy." Whatever this mythical policy may be, it still seems to be in the air quite as much as when Joe stated his remedy for unemployment was "Employment." If the intelligent electorate can obtain comfort from this, it is mighty cold comfort. Mr. Bennett appears to be in as deep a "picklement" as Andy Brown trying to operate the lunch room and the Taxi-cab company and at the same time keep in the good graces of Madame Queen.

George Cruickshank, provincial member, made his maiden speech in the Legislative chamber at Edmonton, pointing out the necessity for action in regard to providing relief in this area during the summer, when coal mining will be at a very low ebb. 'Tis a good thing that this coal area has somebody at Edmonton who speaks up in meeting and calls attention to what is required down here. Sometimes it seems the Crows Nest Pass is such a far cry from the powers-that-be in the provincial capital that they forget we exist.

Yesterday was the first of the forty days of the Lenten season, symbolizing the forty days that the Saviour spent in the wilderness fasting. Self-denial has been practised for a considerable time past by many who have bravely struggled to maintain a family on about a third of a normal living income. To such it is a travesty to suggest that they practice further self-denial. But there are on the other hand many who though they might well practice some self-denial and so help others less fortunate, will say "What care we!" Well might those famous words be echoed to such as these—"Is it nothing to you, all ye that pass by?"

It was an unkind joke in suggesting that the reported find of platinum or gold in the Livingston range, where the boys delight to fish in the summer time, was a hoax to turn the tide of unemployment from the city of Calgary towards the hills. Considering the fine weather it afforded prospectors a nice opportunity for an outing, and that seems to be all they will get in their search for gold. Possibly Forest Ranger Bill Antle will enjoy a little diversion from the winter's monotony checking over the gold-seekers as they pass through the Gap.

Saskatoon turned down the proposal for a 30-year franchise to supply that city with natural gas. Alberta coal operators and miners will echo "Encore!"

Dr. E. Leslie Pigeon, past-president of Rotary International, broadcasted an address from Toronto on "Citizenship." He stressed the value to a community of those who realize they have a duty and responsibility to their fellow men, and stated that "the individual is so related by nature to his fellows that he cannot reject his social duties without doing violence to his individuality. I believe that the reason for the all too common neglect of society, is the inadequate conception which many citizens cherish of their debt to their ordinary environment."

Words such as these well might be well taken to heart by those who are prone to overlook the opportunities that exist for developing good-will right in their own community.

The suggestion that boys be taught wood-working in the local schools was made at the annual meeting. Private citizens have since talked over the proposal, and it has met with considerable support among a number of ratepayers. The subject will bear more thoughtful discussion, for it would be of value to many of the boys attending the schools.

All the wisdom of the nation is not gathered in the cities. President Wilson once said that the great bulk of public opinion was formed in the country places, the cross road stores, where men at least had time to think and discuss the issues of the day.

DIAMOND JUBILEE YEAR

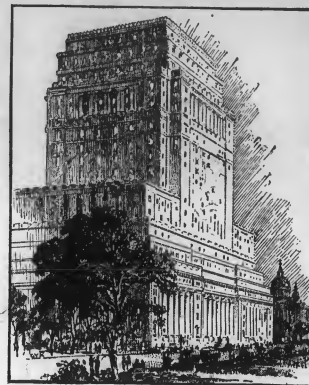
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SIX DECADES
ASSURANCES
IN FORCE

1880
\$3,907,000
1890
\$16,759,000
1900
\$37,980,000
1910
\$143,549,000
1920
\$486,641,000
1930
\$2,863,701,000

SIX DECADES
ASSETS

1880
\$473,000
1890
\$2,473,000
1900
\$10,486,000
1910
\$38,164,000
1920
\$114,839,000
1930
\$588,733,000



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STATEMENT FOR 1930 & NOTES FROM DIRECTORS' REPORT

NEW ASSURANCES

PAID FOR (net) - \$705,678,000

ASSURANCES IN

FORCE (net) - \$2,863,701,000

TOTAL INCOME

(net) - \$186,662,000

PAYMENTS TO POLICYHOLDERS

AND BENEFICIARIES

IN 1930 - \$81,274,000

PAYMENTS TO POLICYHOLDERS

AND BENEFICIARIES SINCE

ORGANIZATION \$500,949,000

TOTAL LIABILITIES \$552,201,000

(including paid up Capital Stock)

SURPLUS AND CONTINGENCY

RESERVE - \$36,532,000

ASSETS, AT DECEMBER

31st, 1930 - \$588,733,000

In a year in which all classes of business have encountered many difficulties, the Company has made gratifying progress. New policies paid for show an increase of \$51,227,652.32, both the ordinary and group departments making substantial gains.

Total assurances in force show an increase of \$462,464,542.58. This gain represents a very high rate of persistency, indicating the high value placed by our policyholders on their contracts with the Company in a period of extreme financial pressure.

The number of policies and group assurance certificates outstanding passed the million mark during the year.

The total net income shows an increase of \$13,804,544.54.

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Profits to policyholders entitled to participate during the ensuing year will be again allotted on the scale at present in operation.

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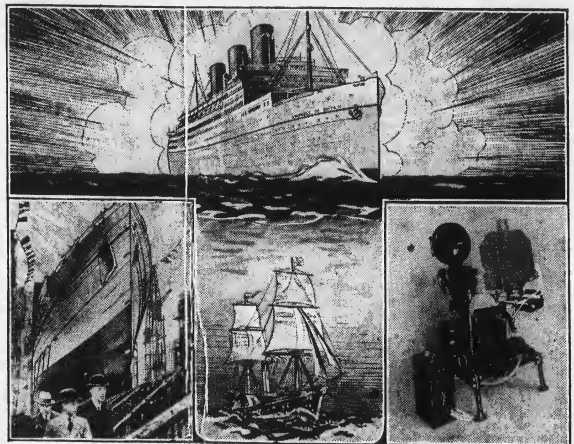
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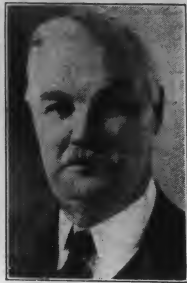
Canada's Challenger To Have Canadian Talkies



What romance lurks in the contrast between the Royal William, the floating ketch which first puffed across the Atlantic by steam—from Quebec to London in 1871; and Canada's greatest floating palace, the Empress of Britain, now being rushed to completion on the Clydebank, which will lumber Sound and Talking Pictures among her many attractions. The equipment, which has been specially designed to meet the requirements of a life of Marine Globe trotting, and manufactured in the Montreal plant of the Northern Electric Company, Ltd., is being shipped via S.S. Minnedosa, from Saint John, to Liverpool, where English sound engineers will install it in the Concert Hall. A unique feature of this, Canada's first Marine installation of Sound Pictures, is that at whatever port the "Empress" is likely to call in fifty-five countries of the world special sound engineers will be available in case of any emergency accident to the equipment. Broadway hit, or an illustrated lecture on some foreign port, which they are approaching, will entertain them from the silver screen.

Above is an artist's conception of the "Empress" leaving Quebec in the wake of the "William" ninety-four years after. Below the Royal William on the high seas. Left, the Prince of Wales and E. W. Beatty on their way to launch the great liner last year. Right, one of the Talking Picture equipments being installed on the new vessel.

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Life insurance has now, apparently, reached such a point in public estimation and confidence that it seems comparatively immune from the ordinary vagaries and fluctuations of other lines of business. The Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada, whose report appears elsewhere in this issue, seems to enjoy this public confidence to an unusual degree, for it reports new policies written during the year to the net amount of over \$700,000,000, the largest in the company's history of sixty years.

The company announced that the profits to policyholders entitled to participate during the ensuing year will be allotted on the same generous scale as has existed for some time.

ARTHUR E. WOOD
Vice President and Chief Actuary

Government Analyst Gives Report On Alberta Beers Quality is Better than Pre-War

Rumors have reached us regarding the Quality of Alberta Beers and in order to settle the question, samples were taken out of Distributors Ltd. stock and sent to Dr. James A. Kelso, Provincial Analyst, University of Alberta. The following four questions were asked of Dr. Kelso:--

1. Is the Beer sufficiently matured?
2. How does it compare in quality with the Alberta Beer analysed by you in pre-war days.
3. Is the Beer wholesome in every way and free from all foreign substances?
4. What comments have you to make on the keeping qualities of the Beer submitted?

THESE QUESTIONS WERE ANSWERED BY DR. KELSO AS FOLLOWS:

1. All samples are, in my opinion, sufficiently matured.
 2. In my opinion all of the Beers are of better quality than pre-war product, which was often cloudy. Beers tested by me during past year are much more uniform in strength, extract, etc., than those before the war.
 3. I would consider the Beers wholesome in every way and free from deterring constituents.
 4. Judging from the forcing test all samples of bottle goods tested are efficiently pasteurized. The freezing test shows the Beer of satisfactory keeping qualities, with proper elimination of such proteins as are thrown out of solution by low temperatures. The draft Beer, not being pasteurized, could not be subjected to forcing or freezing test, and I consider samples of such Beer properly matured and of satisfactory keeping qualities if kept under correct conditions.
- "The bottle liquors, with exception of the Porter and Stout were given a forcing and freezing test. This is done by keeping the Beer at temperature of 90 to 100 degrees for one week, then freezing solid and thawing in chipped ice. In all the samples there was neither cloudiness or any sediment, tests showing perfectly clear."

The original report is on file at Distributors Ltd., head office, Calgary, and is open to public inspection. Space only prevents us from publishing the report in detail.

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Personal and Local

Palm Confectionery has installed a refrigerator show case.

A L. Watkins left on Monday's westbound train for Victoria, on a month's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Altham of Macleod visited Mr. and Mrs. Holstead on Sunday.

Mrs. F. G. Craggan was admitted to hospital the early part of the week suffering from a heart attack.

Several members of the Badminton club went to Lundbreck to play there on Tuesday evening.

Leslett's store opens a sale on Monday next. See advt for list of bargains.

Mrs. Higginbotham, Mrs. Fred Cox and Mrs. Evans went to the Rebekah convention this week in Lethbridge.

Myfanwy Griffiths was a delegate from St. Alban's Junior W.A. to the Diocesan convention last week in Calgary.

500 sheets of bond writing paper letter size may be purchased at The Journal office, price \$1.15, or \$2.15 for 1,000 sheets.

Mrs. Betty Goodwin of Bellevue will be taking charge at Huffman's beauty parlor for the next few weeks. 25 2

Announcement—Marcel 35c, reset 25c. Long bob 50c., reset 35c. Water wave 35c. Work done in my own home or will go to your home.—Gladys Neilson.

Ed Ledieu has a window display of seeds, grass is green along the miner's path to McGillivray mine, and a nice soft rain has been steadily falling during the day. Even the pussy-willows are in bud.

Coleman glee club is steadily practising for the musical festival to be held in Blairmore in April. F. Elgar Roberts is conductor, and remarkable progress has been made under his leadership. The entry will create increased interest in Coleman in the festival.

Mr. Melville Anderson, of Anderson & McLean, eight specialists, of Calgary, announces next visit to G. R. Powell's, Coleman, Tuesday, March 3rd. 20 years experience in regular visits assures you of satisfaction in all optical work.

The prize winners of the whist drive, held by the Holy Ghost Ladies Aid last Thursday were Mrs. Kratky, Mrs. Destobel, Bert Bond and W. Cousins. The door prize was awarded to Mrs. McIntock. The ladies wish to thank all who attended.

Coleman hockey team played against Bellevue at that town on Tuesday, the proceeds of which will be used to decorate the grave of one of Bellevue's players. The result was 4-3 for Coleman. Bill Gate was in goal, and had a busy time.

Miss Yuill's address to the Young People's League, on mountain climbing, illustrated by lantern slides of photographs taken from several of the higher peaks in Banff and Jasper districts, was very interesting, and Blairmore Y.P.L. and Rev. J. W. Smith joined in the evening. At the close of the address refreshments were served by the young people.

A news report states: "During the past year the Western Canada Fire Underwriters Association have granted different reductions in rates, which have meant a saving to the citizens of Drumheller." It is time that a reduction was made in Coleman, as the rate is unduly high in the business section and constitutes a heavy charge on stores and general business.

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PREMIER BENNETT IS OPTIMISTIC FOR THE FUTURE

Calgary, Alberta.—Out of the present time of economic suffering has come the finest proof of the world's progress, for nations and individuals have stood together in a common determination to fulfill their obligations to humanity. Mr. Hon. R. B. Bennett, prime minister of Canada, said here in a New Year's Day address.

Mr. Bennett spoke with optimism of the future and expressed his conviction that the clouds of depression were about to disperse. Canada, because of its great resources, was possibly more fortunate than other countries, but all Canadians hoped the property they anticipated for their own country would extend to the world at large.

Peace and good-will in the international sphere and a more equitable distribution of riches in the domestic sphere were the prime requisites of future progress, said Mr. Bennett.

"Throughout the year now ended," he said, "great storms loomed threatening have swept the industrial firmament. Before their onslaught the world has paused in its forward march, perhaps, indeed, has given ground a little, but never at any time has acknowledged fear or known the danger of defeat. We all have suffered, but we have all survived the greatest depression of which this old world has record."

"Just as one nation has had to bear a greater burden than another, so within each nation have some classes been called upon to endure a degree of privation which others have been spared, at least that is the case in Canada. Why it has been so it is not difficult to explain. Those enterprises whose welfare lies primarily within our own control have known little trouble when compared with such as look for their main support to the world at large. In saying this, I simply desire to make it known that no burdens which we can share together will be cast on any single class or section of the country."

"Conforming to our conviction that unity in prosperity also means unity in adversity, we are moving towards a more equitable distribution of our wealth, and by all means the power are preparing to continue the advance along the way which, through rapidly dispersing clouds, lies straight before us."

Centralized Wheat Selling

World Wide System of Buying and Selling Is Foreseen

Winnipeg, Man.—World wide systems of buying and selling wheat are foreseen as possibilities by George H. Williams, president of United Farmers of Canada (Saskatchewan section). Leader of the strongest bloc of opinion in favor of the 100 per cent pool, Mr. Williams, in a statement to the Canadian Press, cited the Federal Farm Board as tending toward one selling agency in the United States and the proposed British quota-buying plan as a germ of possible future pool arrangements for wheat-selling and wheat-buying world.

"Many countries are of the opinion that the future solution to the problem of marketing agricultural products, particularly wheat, lies along the line of concerted action," Mr. Williams stated. He declared that today such nations as Italy, France, Germany, Russia, and Poland, are very definitely working towards centralized selling. For years there has been 100 per cent pooling arrangements in New Zealand and New South Wales and Australia threatens to fall in line.

The step to a 100 per cent pool for the quarter-million farmers on the Canadian prairies is a short one, he believed. A total of 55 per cent of the Western farmers are at present pool members. They enter by voluntary contract but, "by altering the method of agreement from that of contract to that of ballot, and by including the principle of democratic rule, it is only a short step from the present voluntary contract to the 100 per cent legislative pool," the farm head explained.

Good Market For Ayreshires

Ottawa, Ont.—The Royal Winter Fair still maintains its reputation as being not only the greatest show window for Ayshire breeders but also as one of the best market places for Ayshire cattle," says a report of the Canadian Ayshire Breeders' Association, which gives a detailed synopsis of the successes achieved by this breed of cattle.

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Governor-General Taking New Position

Willington Leaving For India Via England On January 16

Ottawa, Ont.—Announcement that the Governor-General and Viscountess Willington will leave Canada for England, and subsequently for their new post in India, on January 16, has been made at government house. Their Excellencies will leave Ottawa by special train at noon on Wednesday, January 14, for Saint John, N.B., there to board the steamer "Montclair" for England. The journey to Saint John will be broken at Quebec where their Excellencies spent several summers, and where they may attend a reception.

Accompanying their Excellencies will be E. C. Mervill, governor-general's secretary, and Mrs. Mervill, Capt. R. J. Streetfield and Lieut. D. H. Fuller, R.N.

Mr. and Mrs. Mervill will go to India with their Excellencies. As a consequence of his early departure for England, the last official function of the governor-general in Ottawa was the levee held in the senate chamber of the parliament buildings at noon on New Year's day.

Baldwin's New Year's Wish

Hope That Labor Government May Come To Speedy and Unlamented End

London, England.—Rt. Hon. Stanley Baldwin's New Year wish for 1931 is: "May the present government come to a speedy and unlamented end," he wrote recently in a 1931 message of greeting to the people of Great Britain.

In his message he outlined Conservative plans for remedying economic conditions with an emergency tariff for the protection of manufacturers, a guaranteed price and a guaranteed market for British wheat and a scheme for the development of Empire trade.

"When the general election comes," he wrote, "and I am of the opinion that it won't be long despite the Liberal plot to keep the Socialists in power, we shall make an immediate beginning on a policy to help the progress of national recovery."

Shareholders To Meet

Emergency Meeting Of Shareholders Of Hudson's Bay Company To Be Held January 16

London, England.—An emergency meeting of the shareholders of the Hudson's Bay Company will be held on January 16, to consider the report of the special committee investigating affairs of the company for the last five months.

This report, according to the Daily Herald, will show little prospect of the company being able to earn dividends either preference or common shares for some time to come.

The Financial Times draws attention to the proposal to segregate the Canadian stores from the company by formation of a Canadian company registered in Canada. The committee also suggested a cut in the number of the company's directors.

Canada's Farm Loans

Over Seven Million Distributed Within Two Years

Ottawa, Ont.—At the end of the present fiscal year on March 31 next, when the organization will have been functioning a little less than two years, the Canadian Farm Loan Board will have disbursed nearly \$7,000,000 in loans to farmers in six provinces of the Dominion, according to Dr. J. D. McLean, chairman of the board. Up to the present the average loan has been a little over \$2,000, and it is pointed out by Dr. McLean that back of the \$4,228,000 loaned up to the end of September, the government has securities in the form of lands and buildings valued at about \$16,000,000.

Four Corners Fight

Edmonton, Alberta.—Four candidates were nominated here for the Edmonton seat in the provincial legislature made vacant by the death of Colonel J. Weaver. Those in the field are: Colonel F. C. Jamieson, Conservative; Captain J. C. Bowen, Liberal; Elmer Roper, Labor; Jan. Lakeman, Communist.

Report Is Denied

Montreal, Que.—Denial that the Canadian National Railways contemplates any immediate new construction work at its Port Arthur lake terminus was made by S. J. Hungerford vice-president, in charge of operation and construction.

BIG CORPORATION TO BE CREATED TO AID FARMERS

Regina, Sask.—Before an interested audience of fully 8,000 people here, Premier Bennett delivered a message of hope to the people of Western Canada. Mr. Bennett's address was mainly directed to the farmers of the prairies. As a westerner himself, he declared, he was keenly alive to their problems and was determined to solve them and at the same time promote the national interests of Canada as a whole.

He reviewed the activities of his government since assuming office in August, the steps taken to relieve unemployment, providing funds to speed up public works, the increased production afforded the Canadian producer by the tariff revision, and the stand taken by the government at the Imperial Conference.

Financial difficulties of the farmers of Canada will be met by the creation of a private corporation, in which banks, transportation companies, industrial concerns, insurance and mortgage companies will be shareholders, said Mr. Bennett.

The primary object of the proposed Farm Finance Corporation is to assist farmers now engaged wholly or largely in the production of grain to launch out in mixed farming.

"In this regard," said Mr. Bennett, "the suggestion made a few weeks ago by Mr. E. W. Beatty, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, is to be commended. A private organization having as shareholders the transportation companies, banks, industrial enterprises, insurance and mortgage corporations with a reasonable capital used as a revolving loan fund, will meet the necessities of the situation."

"A class of business will be transacted in which the banks cannot engage, and local supervision will ensure a minimum of risk. In the United States where the loan capital was \$9,000,000 the losses of a similar organization over a considerable period of time were but \$27,000."

The fact that the marketing of wheat at present prices would still leave many farmers in difficulties called for the attention of the government, said the premier. The government was therefore going to assist the provinces in providing relief.

"No citizen of this country," he said, "must suffer for lack of food, clothing, shelter or fuel. I would not have the wheat growers think it is our desire or intention to grant them more favorable treatment than any other class in the community will receive. We do not offer them charity for they do not want charity. What we offer them is that measure of relief which the circumstances of the case so fully warrant."

While fully alive to the immediate difficulties, the Federal Government was also occupied in finding permanent markets for Canadian farm products. These efforts were directed along three lines, protection of the home market, extension of trade within the empire, and revision of most favored nation treaties with foreign countries.

"Our minister of Japan, Hon. H. H. Marler," he said, "is, I hope, at this very hour on his way to China to discuss with the government of that great country the purchase of millions of bushels of our wheat. Nor will the government hesitate, if necessary, to assist by providing credit facilities and by other means in its power the establishment of

MAKES CONTRIBUTION TO SCIENCE



Dr. E. F. Burton, professor of physics at the University of Toronto, who, in collaboration with Arnold Pitt, assistant demonstrator, has invented instrument for rapidly measuring quantity of moisture in human and other bodies.

so invaluably valuable a channel of trade."

With European countries speeding up their grain production it was obvious Canada would have to look to the Orient for a market. Canada had the goodwill of the Orient and the government was prepared to capitalize it.

With regard to his negotiations with France, Mr. Bennett said the existing duty on wheat was practically prohibitive. Since his meeting with the French government the government had been defeated, but despite this he had advice that France would guarantee to buy a substantial quantity of Canadian wheat.

"This is the first time in the history of France that such a guarantee has been given," he said. "The best information we are able to obtain indicates the actual purchase of Canadian wheat by French millers during the current grain year may reach over 20,000,000 bushels."

The government had pledged itself to a great transportation program, said Mr. Bennett. Freight rates were lower in Canada than in the United States. But while other countries had reached minimum rates Canada had not. With the development of aids to existing traffic channels, rates could be made lower and those aids. Work on the Hudson Bay Railway was proceeding with all possible speed and the government was engaged on a thorough survey of the whole scheme of transportation with a view to a reduction in existing freight rates.

Will Return To Australia

Sydney, Australia.—According to the Canberra representative of the Sydney Sun, Hon. Parker Moloney, Australian minister of markets, has curtailed his present visit to Canada and will rush back here to attend the party meetings before the opening of the new parliamentary session. The session will probably be by far the most important in the history of the Labor administration of Prime Minister James Scullin.

Buried In Northland

Atlin, B.C.—Capt. E. J. A. Burke was buried Monday, Dec. 29, in the little graveyard here where other pioneers of this northland sleep. Thus was written the last chapter of an episode of the north which for months had held the interest of thousands in the outside world. Burke died November 28 of exhaustion and starvation while lost with two companions in the Liard River district.

HAD NARROW ESCAPE



Miss Winifred Spooner, British aviatrice, while attempting to break all previous records by flying from London, England, to Cape Town in four days, had a narrow escape from death when her plane crashed into the sea more than a mile, and obtained aid for her co-pilot, Captain Edwards, who was slightly injured. The plane was salvaged and towed into port. Belmonte Calahorra. Photo shows Miss Spooner peering from wreckage after it was towed ashore.

Observatory For Toronto

One Of The Finest In The World To Be Erected In Eastern City

Toronto, Ont.—An astronomical observatory which will be one of the finest in the world, will be erected in Toronto in the near future, according to an announcement to the Canadian Press recently, by Prof. C. A. Chant, head of the Department of Astronomy, University of Toronto. The observatory will be erected by Mrs. D. A. Dunlop, and her son, D. Moffat Dunlop, as a memorial to the late David Dunlop, who died six years ago, and will be known as the "David Dunlop Observatory."

The outstanding feature of the observatory will be a large reflecting telescope 74 inches in diameter. There is only one of greater aperture in the world, that on Mount Wilson, in California.

The Lowly Pedestrian

Has Equal Rights With Motorist On Highway, Says Judge

Montreal.—The humble pedestrian has found a champion in Chief Justice Greenfield, who, in rendering judgment in an automobile accident case, stated emphatically that a motor vehicle or vehicle of any kind had no superiority or right of way over "those unfortunate enough or perhaps I should say lucky enough, to use their feet as a method of locomotion. The pedestrian may at all times make use of the highway and every part thereof restrained by municipal legislation."

PREPARE FOR STRUGGLE OVER FREIGHT RATES

Winnipeg, Man.—For a freight rates battle of the future, Manitoba farmers today are lining up a solid front. It will be an agrarian body that first opens fire at Ottawa for a suitable and ocean freight rate on the Hudson Bay route to world markets.

Prepared to struggle with a foe, designated as "big interests" in the east, United Farmers of Manitoba are seeking signatures of every farmer in the province to a petition which will be presented to the Dominion government.

The port of Churchill, in far north Manitoba, will mean a saving of "millions of dollars" to western farmers if the Crow's Nest basis of grain rates are secured, if ocean freight rates are placed "on a comparable basis with ocean rates at Montreal," and if a fair basis of rates on general merchandise, such as binder twine, window glass, and paint, from Churchill to all southern Manitoba points is secured, says the petition. But the U.F.M. recognizes opposition.

"Powerful financial interests, centered in the competitive ports of Montreal, Quebec, Saint John and Halifax" will oppose the west's demand for a low grain rate basis, equal to the Crow's Nest rates, the petition anticipates. Large shipping firms at the Atlantic seaboard will combat any move to effect low ocean rates from Churchill.

The farm body also will ask for a "substantial reduction in the present prohibitory marine insurance rates" from the Hudson Bay Port, of 5 per cent—"which means approximately 5 cents per bushel on wheat." The present insurance rate would alone kill the successful operation of the route, so far as any financial benefit to Manitoba and Saskatchewan farmers is concerned, asserts the petition.

"Maintenance of this excessive marine insurance rate and the maintenance of high ocean rates from Churchill is the aim and object of powerful transportation, financial and manufacturing interests centered in eastern Canada—their determination being to arrange through transportation rates on our export farm products and our import farm necessities, on such a high basis as will equal the present cost of transportation via the ports of Montreal, Saint John or Halifax."

Once the port of Churchill is opened, the petition declares, it will be "many years" before the freight rates are changed. Thus, farmers of the west must present their demands to Ottawa in good time.

"The fact that tidewater will never be nearer to Manitoba than it is at Churchill, is full of significance to us, and it is, therefore, exceedingly important that we join in this well directed effort to increase the prosperity and purchasing power of the producers of the prairie provinces," the farm unit's petition urges.

SIR GEO. PERLEY IS APPOINTED TO PRIVY COUNCIL

London, England.—Four new peers, three privy councillors, five baronets and 30 knights constitute the most notable of the creations in the New Year's honors list, announced last night. The most interesting award from the Canadian angle is the conferring of a privy councillorship upon Hon. Sir George Perley, which is regarded as recognition of Sir George's labors as acting prime minister of Canada during Premier Bennett's absence at the Imperial Conference.

Sir George Perley was created a Knight Commander of the Order of St. Michael and St. George in 1915, when he was in London as High Commissioner and his labors were largely associated with the arrival in England of the vanguard of the great Canadian army which was sent to the field during those years.

None of the four peers owes his elevation to obvious sympathy with the present government's political views and in this fact the prophets are confounded again as their prediction went astray a fortnight ago over the nomination of the Viceroy of India. The new peers are Sir John Scott Hindley, commercial adviser to the Department of Mines; Sir Ernest H. Lamb, one time Liberal member of the House of Commons and a member of the city of London corporation for a quarter of a century; Sir William Flinders, chartered accountant and eminent financial authority, and Sir Ernest Rutherford, chairman of the advisory committee of scientific and industrial research.

Among those created members of His Majesty's Privy Council are Thomas Kennedy, M.L., parliamentary secretary to the treasury, and Hon. Herbert Morrison, minister of transport.

Baronets are conferred upon Sir John Rose, of Bradford, president of the Royal College of Physicians; Ernest Ridley Debenham, director of Lloyd's Bank; Sir Richard Aronson Gregory, eminent astronomical authority; Sir George Ernest May, secretary of the Prudential Assurance Company; Sir George Roberts, who, under the disguise of "Audax," made princely contributions to charity.

Attend Funeral Of Comrade

Members Of Crew Of R-100 Honor Granville Watts

London, England.—Members of the crew of the airship R-100 attended the funeral of Granville Watts, who had declined an offer to become a member of the crew of the R-101 on that vessel's ill-fated air voyage to India, which ended in disaster and the loss of 48 lives. Watts was not satisfied with the airship's condition. He was fatally injured in a motorcycle collision recently.

Watts had been on board the old R-32 when she crashed on Mount Ararat; on the R-32 when she broke her moorings in a storm and drifted for thirty hours; and on the R-100 when she crossed the Atlantic to visit Canada four months ago.

Free Entertainment For Blind

Toronto, Ont.—Captain E. A. Baker, general secretary of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind, announced that arrangements have been made with the directors of the Famous Players' Canadian Corporation, Limited, to admit, free, blind people of Canada, together with sighted escorts, to all theatres operated by the corporation throughout Canada.

Harvesting In Alberta

Lethbridge, Alberta.—Something new in winter harvesting was reported December 30, from the thousand-acre Smith farm, five miles east of Lethbridge. Three combines were at work completing the harvesting when work started last August. The grain is perfectly dry and of fairly good color. The grain is averaging about 30 bushels per acre.

Repays Old Debt

Malone, N.Y.—Thirty-seven years ago Walter W. Jarvis, 66, Malone farmer, and David Knight, 65, were stranded on the western plains of Canada. Jarvis loaned his companion \$50 in order that the two could go to Montreal. They separated and recently Jarvis surprised Knight by walking into his frontier shop and settling the debt.

Ontario Town Holds Record

Hesper, Ont.—This town upheld the tradition of 30 years without a majority election. When nominations were called for this year, no opposition was forthcoming to L. E. Weaver's candidacy. All other offices were also filled by acclamation.

Industrial Alcohol May Be Manufactured From Waste Gases In Turner Valley Oil Field

Solution in part of the problem of finding uses for the colossal waste of natural gas in the Turner Valley oil field of Alberta is a possibility as a result of a process for the manufacture of industrial alcohol that has been developed in the laboratories of the National Research Council.

If applied to the so-called stabilizer gases—the gases which are collected at the well heads along with the crude gasoline, but later are allowed to escape into the atmosphere—the process, it is estimated by Dr. G. S. Whitby, director of the division of chemistry, could yield industrial alcohol to the extent of 10,000,000 gallons a year.

If applied to the total waste of gases in the field, the figure would be 140,000,000 gallons. Immediate prospects of alcohol production at an economical cost are considered for the former than the latter, it is said. That quantity of gas already would be under some control, hence more readily available.

Industrial alcohol, according to statistics available, is being increasingly demanded. While the study of coal in their efforts to make themselves independent of outside power for liquid motor fuel, the French have turned to industrial alcohol. If it can be manufactured at a sufficiently low price experts believe there is a prospect of it coming into wide use for this purpose.

Officers of the research council are now studying the economic possibilities of the process which has been developed. It is stated the operating cost, excluding overhead and any charges made for the new waste gas required, would not exceed 25 cents per gallon. Industrial alcohol used annually in Canada at the present time is valued at more than \$2,000,000.

How tremendous is the present loss of gas in the Alberta fields is indicated by the fact that the amounts of industrial alcohol mentioned would be produced, if the process is found practicable and put into operation, from about 10 per cent. by volume of the total gases going to waste or 20 per cent. by weight.

At the last meeting of the national research council's associate committee on gas research, held in Edmonton in January, it was said that a conservative estimate of the total waste would be 400,000,000 cubic feet per day.

The senior chemist in the national research on the waste gas problem (Dr. A. Cambro), is said to have devised a process whereby they can be converted readily into another gas known as ethylene, from which it is an easy matter to manufacture the industrial alcohol, and, as a matter of fact, a wide variety of other chemicals, including glycol (anti-freeze). If only the stabilizer gases were used in the process, it is estimated that in their liquid form the amount of these available would total 1,200,000 gallons a month.

Chemical Fertilizers

Plant At Trail, B.C., To Manufacture Nitrates, Phosphorus, and Potash

Nitrate, which in the past has been brought all the way to Canada from Chile, will soon be produced in large quantities in British Columbia as one of the chemical fertilizers to be turned out by the new plant of the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Corporation at Trail, which plans to manufacture nitrates, phosphorous, and potash—the chief ingredients in building up the fertility of the soil. The first shipments to the Prairies will be made in time for the spring planting.

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Big Credit Corporation

Organization With \$1,000,000 Capital Formed In The East

One of the pressing problems confronting government and business leaders seems to be the need of increasing the credit facilities available to the farmers in the west. The first official move has been inaugurated towards the creation of the \$1,000,000 credit corporation forecasted by Premier R. B. Bennett in his speech at Regina when application for incorporation was made to the secretary of state.

The application for a charter for the Dominion Agricultural Credit Company, Limited, came from a Montreal legal firm. The shareholders will be banks, loan companies, insurance companies, the two railway companies and certain industrial and mercantile interests, and loans will be made to farmers who have been engaged almost wholly in grain growing to enable them to get into mixed farming. The company will be empowered to lend money on livestock, and to deal in livestock, but will be unable to lend on mortgages.

Asked about the recent activities of the farm loan board, Dr. J. D. MacLean, chairman, said the board had been loaning money in Manitoba and Alberta as usual. He did not anticipate any change in the activities of the board. The board does not operate in Saskatchewan because of the provincial government there has a similar organization.

Loans on the security of farm lands are seldom placed during the winter season, because it is difficult to value land when the ground is frozen and covered with snow. The farm loan board so far has had plenty of money available, and when weather conditions make it possible to value land will place loans as usual.

The Fisheries Of Canada, 1929

Complete Statistics Of Industry Have Been Prepared By Government

Complete statistics of the fishing industry of Canada for the year 1929 have just been issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, in co-operation with the Department of Fisheries. The report gives information regarding the landing and marketing of fish in each fishing district in Canada, with totals for counties and provinces. The number and value of boats and gear is also shown by fishing districts, and details regarding fish canning and curing establishments, by counties.

The total catch of all kinds of fish in 1929 amounted to 1,063,094,000 pounds, and the marketed value was \$53,518,521. The industry had a capital investment of \$62,579,444 and gave employment to 80,450 persons. Canada exported in 1929 fish and fish products to the value of \$27,450,396, while imports of similar products were valued at \$4,233,906.

Copies of the report may be obtained upon application to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, Ottawa.

Must Not Use Cosmetics

Rules To Be Observed By Those Entering Grain Competition

Visions of milady in her boudoir were conjured up, when H. T. Wismer, secretary-treasurer of the Canadian Seed Growers' Association, was addressing members of the Ontario Seed Growers' Association at Toronto.

Mr. Wismer, referring to the World Grain Exhibition to be held in Regina in 1932, was outlining some of the rules to be observed by those entering wheat. The use of vanishing cream, furniture polish or varnish in this show would be a detriment rather than an asset. Several ladies gasped audibly—until Mr. Wismer explained that the vanishing cream, furniture polish, and varnish were often used by farmers in "dressing" their grain exhibits.

Must Have Been Careless

Edward Bok, of Ladies' Home Journal fame, was continually approached by women who wanted his advice in problems of the heart. One, who said she had lost three husbands and now had an offer of a fourth, sought Mr. Bok's opinion.

"Shall I accept him?" she asked. "If you have already lost three husbands," replied Mr. Bok, "I should say that you are too careless to be entrusted with a fourth."

With a feeling of considerable relief, we learn from a medical pundit's column that hairdyes do not affect the brain, if any.

WHEAT KING AND WIFE



Herman Treile, wheat king and Peace River pioneer, is shown above with his wife. Mr. Treile declares "secession" is not the general feeling of the west and that Canada could claim the world's grain markets beyond competition by raising the grade and quality of wheat.

Pasteurization Of Milk

Importance Has Been Proved By Children's Health Organizations

Pasteurization today is a great step forward in hygiene. It has already saved many lives in towns where it has been introduced. It has prevented illness and the mental suffering which accompanies impaired physical health. It is generally admitted that milk and milk products are the most important articles in the family larder. The importance of pasteurization is proved by children's health organizations. The national council of the milk industry, an organization composed of representatives of all branches of commerce and industry, has adopted a resolution recommending that all milk offered for sale in towns and villages should be pasteurized.

Hawaii produced 830,000 tons of sugar last year.

Saskatchewan Poultry Pool

Legislation To Permit Marketing Of All Eggs and Poultry Through One Agency Is Favored

Seventy-five per cent. of the voters favored legislation to permit the marketing of all eggs and poultry products through one provincial organization, as the result of a ballot among the members of the Saskatchewan Co-operative Poultry Producers, Limited, it was announced by Don Graham, secretary of the organization. The percentage of members voting was 41.1.

"It is expected that early action will be taken in connection with the matter," Mr. Graham said. The ballot was taken following the instructions of the board of directors, at the request of locals at annual meetings this fall.

The smallest church in the world seats three people. It is near Covington, Ky.

FASHION



No. 930—Beecoming Model. This style is designed in sizes 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42 and 44 inches bust measure. Size 36 requires 3 1/2 yards of 27-inch material with 1/4 yard of 27-inch contrasting and 1 yard of 3/4-inch ribbon for bow.

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No. 577—Suggests Ensemble. This style is designed in sizes 8, 10, 12 and 14 years. Size 8 requires 1 1/2 yards of 35-inch material with 1/4 yard of 35-inch contrasting for dress

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Portugal Exhibiting At World's Grain Show

Officials At Lisbon Make Announcement Of Entry

Official announcement has been made from the headquarters of the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference, Regina, of the acceptance by the Portuguese Government of the invitation to participate in the world-wide grain exhibition and conference to be held in that city in 1932.

The announcement of this official acceptance has reached the exhibition authorities through Arthur King, commercial secretary of His Majesty's Embassy and His Majesty's Consul at Lisbon.

A commission has been appointed by the Portuguese Government to make arrangements for Portugal's representation at Regina in 1932, of which Professor Ray Meyer, of the agricultural college of Lisbon, is chairman.

Twelve countries have now accepted the official invitation to take part in the 1932 event, namely: Italy, Peru, Yugoslavia, Guatemala, New Zealand, Czechoslovakia, the Netherlands, Belgium, Poland, Siam, India and Portugal.

The cultivated area of Portugal, according to a recent statement from the ministry of agriculture, is about 14,000,000 acres. In 1928 the wheat crop amounted to over 10,000,000 bushels; oats nearly 11,000,000 bushels; barley nearly 3,000,000 bushels, and corn over 4,000,000 tons. Broad beans and French beans are also cultivated and while no information is yet available as to the class of exhibit which will be prepared by the Portuguese ministry of agriculture for the Regina grain show, it is expected it will include the staple products of the country.

Reindeer Industry For Ontario

May Establish Large Herd In The Lake Nipigon District

One thousand reindeer in Alaska will ranch the grasses north of Port Arthur in the near future if plans to bring a huge herd down from the north develop. N. H. Dimond and Charles Bostom, owners of the Dimond Reindeer Ranch, south of North Lake, 30 miles from Grand Marais, Minn., arrived at Port Arthur with plans to secure grazing privileges in the district north and west of Lake Nipigon.

Dimond has several years experience with the reindeer industry and is a stockholder in the Alaskan Reindeer Company of St. Michael, Alaska. This company has a herd of more than 10,000. Dimond declared many advantages exist for the industry in the markets of Canadian and American cities. Establishment of a large herd nearer the markets is planned.

Bostom and Dimond, after three years experimenting, state they have established beyond all doubt the feasibility of breeding reindeer on a large scale in this climate. Reindeer live on moss, they add, and extensive trips into Canadian territory in this area have shown that moss can be found in vast expanses.

Heavy Grain Shipments

Busy Season Has Been Experienced At Port Of St. John

Grain shipments from the elevators at West Saint John, N.B., up to Feb. 1, 1931, show an increase of 130 per cent. over the corresponding period of the 1929-1930 winter season.

Up to Feb. 1, this season 4,576,804 bushels have been loaded into ships from the elevators, as compared with 1,813,162 bushels for the same period of last season. Ships carrying grain, which is practically all Canadian, are destined for the United Kingdom, Continental Europe and Mediterranean ports.

Not So Well Known

Village Policeman: "This won't do. We've had too many 'Smiths' about here. Give me your real name and be quick about it, too."

Speculator: "Well, if I must, it's 'Shakespeare.'"

"That's better. You can't bluff a man like me with that 'Smith' stuff."

Modern Paper Mulch

One of the most recent developments in the use of paper is a paper felt saturated with asphalt which is used as a mulch paper and is laid on the ground between rows of certain growing crops to prevent the excessive evaporation of soil moisture and to keep down weed growth.

Plans for a flight to the North Pole by the giant German dirigible Graf Zeppelin next summer have been virtually completed, Ludwig Weickmann, director of the Leipzig Geophysical Institute, announced recently.

The question of finances is the only snag in the way of a 1931 trip, he said. Similar plans in 1929 were abandoned because insurance companies refused to cover the risk of disaster in the frozen north.

The principal work of the expedition, Herr Weickmann said, would be the exploration of newly-discovered islands between Franz Josef Land and Emperor Nicholas Land. A Soviet expedition has already erected a wireless station on one of the islands, which will be used as a base.

Scientists hope the experts aboard the dirigible will be able to determine exactly the contours of Emperor Nicholas Land and the islands by photographic survey.

The Graf Zeppelin will head into the Arctic wastes from Leningrad. If possible, German and Swedish scientists will be landed to explore the new islands on foot.

The airship is now in its winter quarters at Friedrichshafen, after a profitable year during which it made 12 flights, carried 4,063 passengers and nearly 1,000,000 pieces of mail.

It will be extensively overhauled before starting the polar journey.

Canada Leads In Surveying

Methods Are More Advanced Than Those Of Other Nations

Canada is showing the way to other nations in advance methods of mapping and surveying, succeeding speakers told the annual convention of the Association of Dominion Land Surveyors at Ottawa. Especially was this true of aerial surveying, the Federal Government alone mapping over 60,000 square miles last year, the association was told.

In opening the convention, W. M. Tobey, the president, stressed the many developments that had been taking place in Canada in recent years. Led by the two main railway companies, travelling facilities were being constructed into many hitherto impassable parts of the country. Water power was being developed at such a rate that Canada now ranked third among the nations of the world in this respect. In addition, Canada was forging ahead in the production of many minerals, new discoveries were being made and new fields opened.

Telling Time By Bird's Songs

Can Be Done By One Who Understands, Says Naturalist

Clocks are not necessary to give the time in the morning if one understands the songs of the birds, according to a German naturalist, who has just completed a schedule of offerings by feathered songsters. He says the chaffinch sings at about 1:30 on summer mornings, and the black-capped chickadee the quail gives their three o'clock the quail give their call, while the hedge sparrows are heard about 30 minutes later. The blackbirds are next, followed by the black-headed tit-mouse, and finally the sparrows start between five and 5:30.

"School Of Crime" In Antwerp

Announcing the arrest of forty boys, all less than ten years police of Antwerp, Belgium, disclosed they had uncovered a school of crime operated by a modern Dutch Fagin. The "school" met regularly to receive instructions from their mentor and to plan new thefts, detectives said. As a result of the raid the police have banned certain types of magazines dealing with crime.



"And if anybody hits you on the left cheek, as a good Christian you do not hit back. What do you do?" "Tell my big brother!"—Pain, Vienna.

Impressions of a Rural Delegate

His Horizon is Broadened and Outlook Improved in Making Comparisons

Conventions—gatherings of people connected with this or that movement—commercial travellers, Temperance advocates, hotel men, teachers, clergymen, in fact every profession or trade one can think of, including blacksmiths—we all most included chimney sweeps—

furnish a grand and glorious opportunity to break away from the at-times monotonous round of toil. The delegate carrying his official credentials empowering him to sit in on the deliberations of the great conclave of his tribe, swells up with just a little more than his usual amount of self esteem, as he boards the train or proudly draws away in his auto to journey to the distant city. For does he not represent the consolidated opinion of a number of lesser lights in his own bailiwick, who maybe would have liked to take his place, but did not possess the amount of ego, or "bump-

tinuousness" necessary to force themselves into the limelight and to pose as the big frog from a little puddle.

During a trip of anywhere from 100 to 600, or even 1,000 miles, he meets many people who live and work in a different environment to his own. Some he may consider superior in intellect and worldly-wise ways; others he thinks quite the reverse. But he is absorbing knowledge. The further he travels the wiser he becomes, and there is no lack of new faces and new things to interest him.

Snatches of conversation, especially during a train journey, he finds interesting. He cannot help overhearing them, though appearing utterly unconcerned, and from their trend forms a fairly accurate opinion of the station in life of his fellow travellers. On a western train particularly, many types are encountered. Though each may be dressed in his Sunday best, there are always tell-tale marks in dress, manners or carriage which provide an observant person with a fairly good idea of who and what the other fellow is.

Finally he arrives, all dressed up, at the opening session of the great convention, which every delegate imagines will be surrounded with great importance in the eyes of the outside world, and maybe long strings of reports will appear in the Press concerning its pronouncements on the great and pressing problems of the day, and what it will do to settle the affairs of the nation.

The usual procedure follows. The mayor, or a leading citizen deputed to take his place, will address them and tell what a paradise is the city he represents. He will admonish the delegates to keep clear of the police, or as an alternative will present them with the invisible "keys of the city." More swelling up on the part of delegates follows such a spontaneous burst of

welcome, and it is really wonderful how some mayors can keep their supplies of spontaneity on tap for this and similar occasions.

Then, after everyone has given everyone else the "once over," the convention is launched on a pretensions agenda of reports, resolutions and what not. The delegates for the first few hours are somewhat nervous in speaking up in meeting. Some of the more self-conscious will perhaps need a prod from the chairman, to get them to say something and so justify their existence. Others have to be reminded that only a limited time is allowed and that they must not speak on the same subject twice. And so the convention goes on, full of pep, much time being spent in spilling forth a great deal that means very little, until it comes to the final day.

Then there is a grand scramble to get through before the week end arrives. As far as most of the delegates are concerned, they do not care if the unfinished business, incomplete resolutions and the rest of the odds and ends are thrown

into the waste paper basket. The executive can do as they please till they all meet again. The crowd say to themselves, of course—"We're going home! We've had a good time in your city, and experienced a few of the thrills of city life with its lunchrooms and hustle and bustle; really it has been very enjoyable."

And so the delegate eventually arrives home. The town has a deserted appearance as he wends his

way up the main street. He mentally contrasts its activity—or lack of it—with the teeming city he has visited, and wishes that he could inject more of the competitive, vigorous, aggressive spirit into his home town which has played so important a part in developing those convention cities, which to the rural delegate are always a delight to visit.

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